

# July Job Postings 2022-2023 Comparison



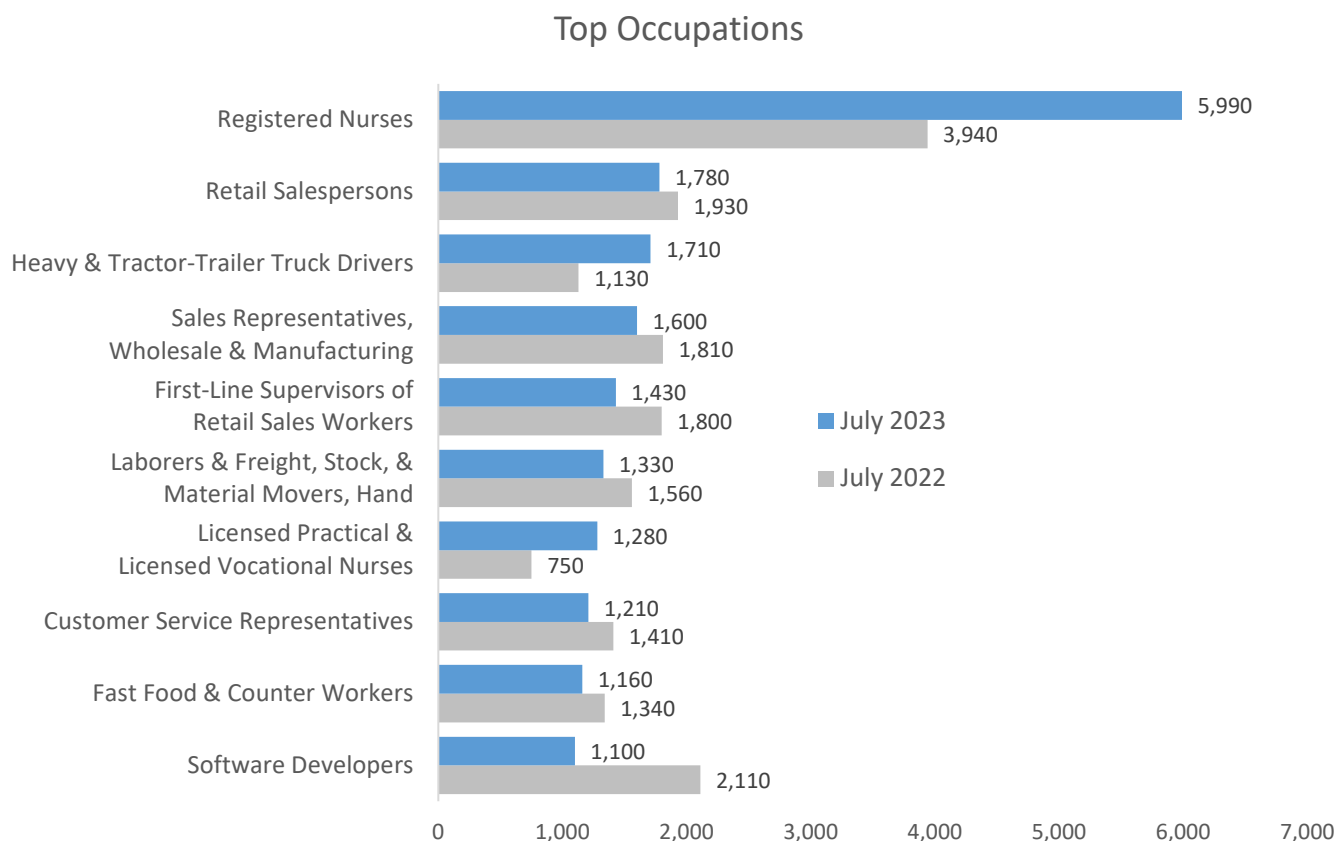
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## Job Demand

Job postings decreased by 10% from July 2022 to July 2023. In July 2023, there were 73,740 online job postings compared to 81,660 in July 2022. The seasonally adjusted July 2023 unemployment rate of 2.7 percent in Missouri was higher than last month's (June 2023) rate of 2.6 percent and last year's (July 2022) rate of 2.2 percent.

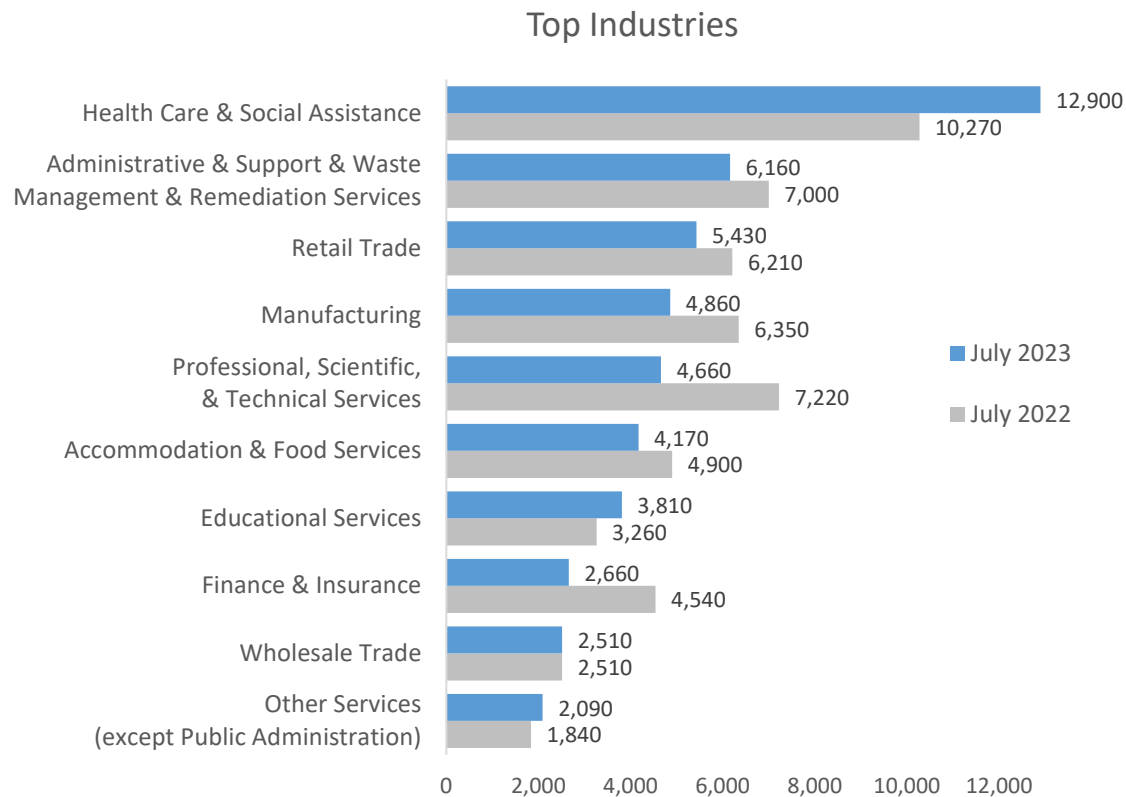
## Top Occupations

The following chart shows the top 10 occupations with the most job postings in July 2023 compared to the number of job postings in July 2022. *Licensed Practical Nurses* and *Registered Nurses* had large increases compared to last year at 71% and 52%, respectively. *Software Developers* had the largest decrease at 48%.



## Top Industries

The following chart shows the industries with the most job postings in July 2023 compared to July 2022. The industry with the largest over-the-year increase was *Health Care and Social Assistance* (+26%). The industry with the largest decrease was *Finance and Insurance* (-41%).



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